

Regarding traffic and weather reports, I feel that the XM service does not compete with traditional AM and FM broadcasts, since XM broadcasts lack the instant local feel. I encourage NAB and XM to get together to carry local AM stations. Here is the reason. In my office, I cannot receive WTIC in Hartford, my favorite AM station. Satellite radio would enable me to get WTIC clearly anywhere in the country, including my AM-resistant office! I would be willing to pay a flat additional premium fee of, say, \$15 additional a month, to enjoy such local favorites on AM as New York, Washington, Chicago, Los Angeles and Seattle. I want local flavor on my XM. I would be so happy if NAB and XM could work out a deal for those of us who love AM radio. Let's get together, everyone!